



1754

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER
(General - Patent Pending)**Docket No.
112857-034

In Re Application Of: Koji Moriguchi et al.

Serial No.
09/292,834Filing Date
April 16, 1999

Examiner

Group Art Unit

**Title: GRAPHITE POWDERS SUITED FOR NEGATIVE ELECTRODE MATERIAL OR LITHIUM
ION SECONDARY****TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

Transmitted herewith is:

Power of Attorney by Assignee and Express Revocation of Prior Powers

RECEIVED
JUN - 1 2001
TECHNOLOGY CENTER 1700

in the above identified application.

- No additional fee is required.
- A check in the amount of _____ is attached.
- The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. **02-1818** as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- Charge the amount of _____
- Credit any overpayment.
- Charge any additional fee required.

Signature

William E. Vaughan (Reg. No. 39,056)
Bell, Boyd & Lloyd LLC
P.O. Box 1135
Chicago, Illinois 60690

Dated: May 24, 2001

I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on May 29, 2001 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Robert Buccieri**Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence**

CC:

#131W3
614101

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Koji Moriguchi, et al DOCKET NO.: 112857-034

SERIAL NO.: 09/292,834 ART UNIT:

FILED: April 16, 1999

INVENTION: GRAPHITE POWDERS SUITED FOR NEGATIVE ELECTRODE MATERIAL OR LITHIUM ION SECONDARY

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231RECEIVED
JUN - 1 2001
TECHNOLOGY CENTER 1000**POWER OF ATTORNEY BY ASSIGNEE
AND EXPRESS REVOCATION OF PRIOR POWERS**

As an officer or authorized agent of the Assignee of record of the entire interest of the above-referenced application, Sony Corporation, I hereby expressly revoke all prior powers of attorney filed in connection with this application.

I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute and transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith: Holby M. Abern (P47,372), Robert M. Barrett (30,142), Alan L. Barry (30,819), Thomas C. Basso (46,541), Jeffrey H. Canfield (38,404), Robert W. Connors (46,639), Amy J. Gast (41,773), Timothy L. Harney (38,174), Patricia A. Kane (46,446), Michael S. Leonard (37,557), Edward A. Lehman (22,312), Adam H. Masia (35,602), Dante J. Picciano (33,543), Renato L. Smith (45,117), Maurice E. Teixeira (45,646), William E. Vaughan (39,056), Austin Victor (47,154), and all members of the firm of Bell, Boyd & Lloyd LLC.

Please Send All Correspondence to: William E. Vaughan
BELL, BOYD & LLOYD LLC
P.O. Box 1135
Chicago, Illinois 60690-1135
Telephone: (312) 807-4292

Mar. 29, 2001
DateYujiro Yamanaka
Signature

Name: YUJIRO YAMANAKA
Title: MANAGER, LEGAL & INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY DEPT.
Sony Corporation
6-7-35 Kitashinagawa Shinagawa-ku
Tokyo, 141-0001 Japan